

Worcester county into election districts, passed at December session, 1827, chapter 50.

It was, on his motion, Ordered, That a select committee, consisting of five members, be appointed by the speaker to prepare and report said bill. messrs. Hitch, Smith of Worcester, Roach, Boyer and Gibbons, were appointed the committee, pursuant to said order.

Mr. Wright of Dorchester, having asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to alter and change all that part of the constitution and form of government, which relates to the division of Dorchester county into seven separate election districts.

It was, on his motion, Ordered, That a select committee, consisting of three members, be appointed by the speaker, to prepare and report said bill. messrs. Wright of Dorchester, Eccleston and Phelps, were, pursuant to the order, appointed the said committee.

Mr. Eccleston submitted the following order.

Ordered, That only such parts of reports shall be entered on the journal of the house, as may be sufficient to express their affirmative or negative character, except when otherwise ordered by the speaker.

Which was read; and, on motion by Mr. Done, ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Lee, chairman of the select committee therein mentioned, delivered the following report.

The committee appointed to examine the accounts of expenditures on the government house, beg leave to report—That they waited upon his excellency governor Kent, and inspected the furniture, plate, and accounts of expenditure. The accompanying accounts and inventory were placed in their hands by his excellency. Your committee found every thing in as good order and preservation as could be expected.

The actual expenditures for the term of the three years, appear to be \$1654 17, whilst the sum appropriated by the resolution of the general assembly, at December session 1825, was \$1500, leaving a balance of \$154 17 due to his excellency, and to provide for which sum, the committee beg leave to recommend the adoption of the subjoined resolution.

By order,

Jas. H. Milbourne, Com. Clk.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the western shore be, and he is hereby authorised and directed, to pay to the order of Joseph Kent, esquire, late governor of Maryland, out of any monies in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and fifty four dollars and seventeen cents,